

## CHANG HSUN REFUSES TO SURRENDER BUT WON'T FIGHT TILL ATTACKED

### OLD PARLIAMENT TO RECONVENE AS ONLY LEGAL BODY

Heads Of Dissolved Legis-  
lature In Shanghai Decide  
To Meet Immediately

### INFORM NATION

Dr. Wu's Seal As Foreign  
Minister Is Demanded  
By Tientsin Cabinet

### DESPATCH DEPUTY

Message Sent To Com-  
missioner Here Ordering  
Him to Hand It Over

The original Parliament will con-  
vene immediately and will regard  
itself as the only recognised and  
legal legislature of the Republic.  
This was announced yesterday in a  
circular telegram sent from the  
headquarters of the Parliament-  
arians now at Shanghai under the  
leadership of Speaker Wu Ching-  
lien of the House and Vice-speaker  
C. T. Wang of the Senate.

The lengthy message, after dis-  
cussing the importance of the pro-  
tection of the Constitution for the  
existence of the Republic, attributes  
the cause of the whole crisis to the  
Hsuehfu Conference, the Peti-  
tioners' demonstration and the re-  
volt of the Tuchuns, and makes five  
declarations regarding the present  
position of the dissolved Parlia-  
ment. These follow:

1. Since the mandate dissolving  
Parliament was contrary to the  
Constitution, it is naturally ineffec-  
tive. All subsequent mandates are  
also ineffective because they were  
not countersigned in accordance  
with law. Chiang Chao-chung and  
others were not legal Cabinet Min-  
isters. All mandates hereafter shall  
not be recognised if they are not  
issued legally.

2. The special privilege act extend-  
ed to the Ta Ching imperial family  
was an act of leniency on the part of  
the Republic. The act became effect-  
ive only after being passed upon by  
the Nanking Parliament. Now the  
imperial house has actually dared to  
rebel against the Republic, the privi-  
leges are naturally forfeited. How-  
ever, the proper settlement of the  
question should be left to the Legis-  
lature for its decision.

3. Any other legislature, or provi-  
sional senate or constitutional con-  
vention shall not be recognised, be-  
cause their organisation will be con-  
trary as well as destructive to the  
Constitution.

4. The original Parliament will im-  
mediately convene by itself.

5. Monarchs, rebels and instig-  
tors for the destruction of law shall  
be punished in accordance with law.  
No Mediation, Is Advice

Avoid mediation and fight until  
all the rebels shall have been pun-  
ished are the advice of Chang Chi,  
former speaker of the Senate, and  
Sung Hung-yi, former Minister of  
Interior, in a telegram despatched  
yesterday to General Feng Yoh-ling,  
commander of the expeditionary  
forces at Langfang.

The message expresses the hope  
that the punitive expedition this time  
will get rid of, once for all, all the  
undesirables of the Republic, in-  
cluding not only Chang Hsun and  
Kang Yu-wei but also each and  
every rebellious Tuchun, all the  
parties who endorsed the monarchic-  
al movement when it was first ad-  
vocated by Chang, and those who  
accepted offices under the short  
regime of the Manchus last week.  
Demand Dr. Wu's Seal

The return of the seal of the  
Minister of Foreign Affairs by Dr. Wu  
Ting-fang was demanded in a telegram  
sent by the Tientsin Cabinet to the  
local Commissioner of Foreign Affairs,  
Mr. C. H. Chu, yesterday. The mes-  
sage states that Dr. Wu had on several  
occasions submitted his resignation as  
Minister of Foreign Affairs. Now that  
his resignation is accepted, he is re-  
quested to hand over the seal to the  
Commissioner, who will in turn hand  
it over to the Nanking Government  
by a special deputy.

The Tientsin Cabinet also informed  
Commissioner Chu in another telegram  
that hereafter all diplomatic negotia-  
tions shall be carried on by the Cab-  
inet. In reply, Mr. Chu promised to  
carry out the instructions accordingly.

### Wilson Drafts Militia Into Army By August 5

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, July 10.—President Wilson has issued a proclamation drafting the entire National Guard into the Army on August 5.

### FRENCH WINNING BACK THEIR LOST TRENCHES

### AIR RAID CASUALTIES 43 DEAD, 197 INJURED

Counter-Attack Yields Greater  
Part Of German Gains  
Of Previous Day

Secret Session Called At Which  
Lloyd-George Is To Ex-  
plain Situation

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, July 9.—The official com-  
munique issued this afternoon re-  
ports: We brilliantly repulsed a  
strong attack against the Pantheon.  
We made a counter-attack against  
the trenches the enemy occupied  
yesterday between Les Beaudettes  
and Chevigny Spur and after a very  
lively fight, broke up the enemy's  
energetic resistance, driving him out  
of our first-line elements on a front  
of 1,500 meters, thus regaining the  
greater part of the gains the enemy  
won yesterday between the Pantheon  
and Froidmont Farm.

According to fresh information the  
enemy's attacks here yesterday were  
carried out by elements belonging to  
three divisions re-inforced by special  
assaulting troops, pioneers and de-  
tachments of flame throwers, the  
total aggregating a dozen fresh  
battalions. Our troops, whose gallant  
defence was praiseworthy, inflicted  
cruel losses. Prisoners confirm this  
fact.

The official communique issued  
this evening reports: There has  
been considerable reciprocal arti-  
llerying south of Fialain and in the  
region of Hill 304.

London, July 9.—The German and  
Austrian official communiques con-  
tinue constantly to make statements,  
especially regarding the Russian  
Front, which are largely irreconcil-  
able with the Russian communiques.  
For instance, there is no hint in  
either the German or Austrian com-  
municiques of the big Russian suc-  
cess in the region of Stanislau.

The same applies to the German  
official communiques regarding the  
French Front. For example, there  
is no mention in the German official  
communique today of the French  
success between Les Beaudettes and  
Chevigny. On the contrary, it  
speaks of continued German suc-  
cesses. It is probable that the aim  
of the enemy is to bewilder neutrals  
and at the same time please their  
own people.

The latest claim made by Berlin  
with reference to Saturday's raid on  
London confirms that the enemy air-  
men never know what they hit in  
these raids.

London, July 9.—Field-Marshal  
Sir Douglas Haig reports this even-  
ing: Hostile raiders entered our ad-  
vanced post westward of Warneton  
and our trenches eastward of La  
Vente.

The enemy's artillery was active in  
the neighborhood of Bulecourt, Ypres  
and Nieuport. Aerial activity  
was impossible owing to the weather.

### MAKES TRIP FROM CHENGDU IN 14 DAYS

Mr. Maynard Owen Williams,  
special correspondent in China for  
The Christian Herald, New York,  
arrived in Shanghai yesterday from  
Chengdu, Szechuan. Mr. Williams  
made the trip in fourteen days,  
which he thinks must be pretty close  
to the record.

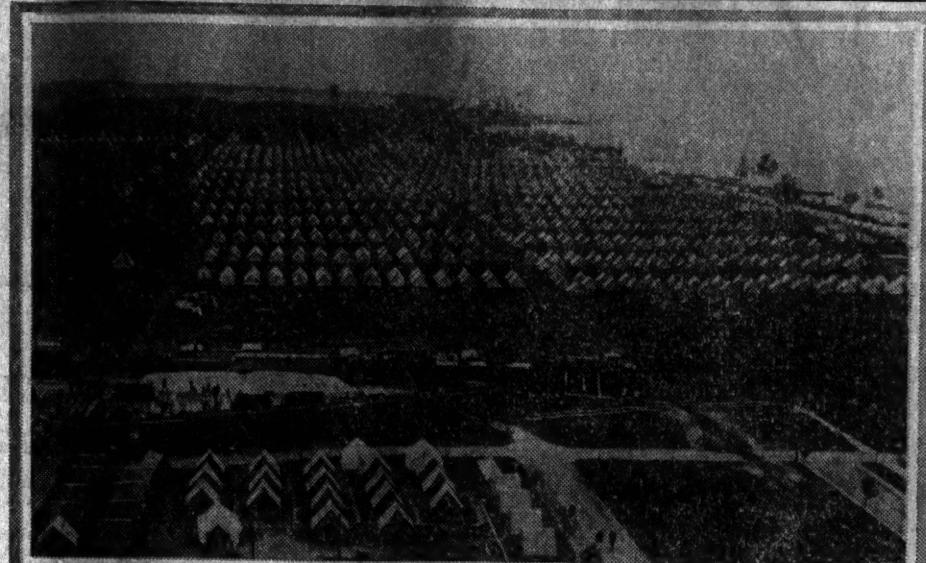
The main land route via Tze-  
chow and the Min river route to  
Chungking are both closed to travel  
owing to bandits and pirates and  
have been closed since last April,"  
said Mr. Williams. "I came by a  
less traveled but more difficult route  
and reached Chungking in five days.  
From there I made Ichang in 4 days  
and found a steamer just getting  
ready to sail for Hankow. At the  
latter city I made good connection  
with the Kutwo and so landed here  
in just a fortnight from the time I  
started. But for the loss of 32 hours  
at Chungking I would be quite sure  
I had hung up a new record."

### Mail Notices

### MAILS CLOSE

For Japan:—  
Per N.Y.K. ss. Yawata M. July 13  
Per N.Y.K. ss. Hakui M. July 17  
Per N.Y.K. ss. Kasuga M. July 19  
Per N.Y.K. ss. Atsuta M. July 20  
For U.S., Canada, and Europe:—  
Per T.K.K. ss. Korea Maru July 20  
Per P.M. ss. Colombia .... July 21  
For Europe:—  
Per N.Y.K. ss. Suwa M. July 31  
The American mail is due here  
on or about July 14, per N.Y.K. ss.  
Yokohama Maru.

### Where American Sailors Are Being Trained For War



GREAT LAKES TRAINING STATION.

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The above photograph shows a remarkable view of the Great Lakes Training Station at Lake Bluff, Ill., where several thousand young Americans are being prepared for active service in the United States Navy.

### GERMAN CHANCELLOR'S FATE HANGS IN BALANCE

Von Bethmann-Hollweg Likely  
To Be Replaced By Von  
Hindenburg, Is Report

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 10.—The fate of  
Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the  
Imperial German Chancellor, is still  
hanging in the balance. Numerous  
political conferences are being held  
in Berlin and Dr. von Bethmann-  
Hollweg is making a last effort to  
rally a narrow majority among the  
National Liberals and Conservatives  
with a body of Clerics.

The latest report is that Marshal  
von Hindenburg will succeed Dr.  
von Bethmann-Hollweg as Imperial  
German Chancellor.

### AUSTRIANS DESPERATE

Zurich, July 10.—During a recent  
debate in the Reichsrath deputies  
from all parts of Austria-Hungary  
declared that the situation of the  
mass of the population was fast be-  
coming desperate. Galicia, the  
granary of Austria, is completely  
bare. A German Socialist Deputy  
declared that it was impossible to  
tell how long the workers would  
bear their privations: the wrath of  
the lower classes could not be kept  
down by bayonets.

### INDIA PLOT IN AMERICA DIRECTED FROM BERLIN

105 Involved in Conspiracy For  
Which 98 Have Been  
Indicted

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

San Francisco, July 9.—The  
United States District Attorney, in a  
statement on the conspiracy case  
mentioned yesterday, said that Ger-  
man preparations for war against  
England were made in America a  
year before outbreak of the War. He  
proceeded to summarise the plot as  
follows:

"One hundred and five men are  
involved, of whom 98 are now in-  
dicted and seven are named as fel-  
low conspirators. When the War  
broke out emissaries were despatched  
to Berlin, where the India Com-  
mittee, an adjunct of the German  
Foreign Office, formed conspiracies  
under the personal attention of Dr.  
Zimmermann, the Minister for For-  
eign Affairs.

"Their activities included large  
purchases of arms and ammunition,  
the recruitment and despatch of  
men to India and the organisation of  
military expeditions for carrying on  
from America and Siam the smug-  
gling of arms and munitions through  
China and Japan. The principal  
motive was to force Great Britain to  
maintain strong forces in India and  
to prevent their transfer to the  
fighting fronts."

Agents were sent to China and  
Japan with the object of buying the  
press and to procure secret treaties in  
favor of Germany in connection with  
the plot.

### ALLIES PLAN MEETING ON BALKAN AFFAIRS

Conference Called At Instance  
Of Russian Government Which  
Disapproves Entente Policy

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Petrograd, July 9.—(By wireless).—  
A Russian official communique re-  
ports: In a successful offensive  
westward of Stanislau, General  
Korniloff captured on Sunday several  
villages, 131 officers, 7,000 men, 40  
guns, including 12 of heavy caliber,  
and also many machine-guns.  
General Korniloff attacked and cap-  
tured in the battle of the villages of  
Jezupol, Ciezov, Pavelche, Rybno  
and Starlyshev. Russian cavalry  
immediately pursued the enemy,  
reaching the River Lukya.

We evacuated Pendjiv, Khanikin  
and Khrishirev under Turkish  
pressure.

We bombed the railway-station at  
Pinsk, causing conflagrations.

London, July 9.—An Austrian  
official communique reports: The  
enemy attempted a decisive blow  
with superior forces against the road  
from Stanislau to Kolozs. Those  
penetrating our advanced trenches  
were ejected by a counter-attack.

Strong forces of the enemy were  
also repulsed in the Strzyza Valley,  
near Huta.

Petrograd, July 10.—A Battalion  
of the Reval Garrison, composed  
of 400 men and seven officers,  
received a warm welcome on their  
arrival here en route to the front.  
A telegram from Minsk de-  
scribes the beginning of military  
activity at several parts of the front,  
including a prolonged and  
intense artillery duel in the region  
of Krevo and Smorgon.

Paris, July 9.—It is announced  
that the Allied troops are about to  
evacuate the Greek territory which  
they recently occupied as a pre-  
cautionary measure. This evacuation  
does not include the region around  
Salonica.

To Help Greece Financially  
Athens, July 9.—Before leaving  
for Salonica, M. Jonnart, the High  
Commissioner of the Allies, an-  
nounced that he would devote his  
efforts in Paris and London to  
strengthening the finances of  
Greece. He referred in most flat-  
tering terms to the uniform  
moderation of M. Venizelos, the  
Greek Premier.

### Mesopotamia Debate Will Take Two Days

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 9.—In the House of  
Commons today, replying to Mr.  
Arthur Lynch, Mr. A. Bonar Law  
said that if the House desired, as  
he thought probable, the Government  
would give two days to the debate on  
the Report of the Mesopotamia Com-  
mission, which would occur on a  
motion for the adjournment of the  
House.

### The Weather

Exceedingly oppressive with  
threats of rain. The maximum tem-  
perature yesterday was 85.5 and the  
minimum 78.7, the corresponding  
figures for the corresponding day  
last year being respectively 81.8 and  
76.2.

### ISSUES MANIFESTO JUSTIFYING ACTION AND GIVING TERMS

Insists On Protection For  
Ching House, Himself  
And His Troops

### IT'S THAT OR FIGHT

Appeals To Diplomatic  
Corps To Help Reach  
Peaceful Settlement

### RESENTS CHARGES

Will Die In Battle Rather  
Than Give Up Under  
Stigma of Criminal

Reuters' Pacific Service to The China Press

Peking, July 11.—General Chiang  
Chao-chung, General Wang Shih-chen  
and General Wu Ping-hsien today  
made a final effort to persuade Chang  
Hsun to surrender but the latter  
refused and said he would fight to  
the end.

Chang Hsun, in a manifesto, re-  
counts the reason inspiring the Re-  
storation and says:

"Instead of being supported in my  
sincere and honest endeavor to  
benefit my country and Sovereign, I  
have been forced to battle with my  
pledged associates, lifelong com-  
rades in arms and even friends of  
generations standing. By these  
former friends I have been placarded  
as a turbulent seeker of power and  
have had a price put on my  
head and am now, without the consider-  
ation and without the negotiations  
accorded the vanquished by every civilised nation, told I must be  
exterminated as a robber and a criminal."

Chang Hsun continues that it is not  
fitting that he should insist on his  
sincerity and honesty of purpose. Let  
Heaven and posterity judge if he  
is forced to preserve his honor by  
dying on the field of battle. He does  
not propose to shame what he believes  
to be his righteous cause by surren-  
dering as a criminal. He is as solicitous  
of the welfare of the people of Peking  
as his opponents, but he is more  
solicitous of the welfare of the Ching  
House, himself and his following.

Will Wait Till Attacked  
Chang Hsun concludes:

"For the present I am on the de-  
fensive. I shall keep the peace and  
shall not fire till I am fired upon.  
I shall deal honorably with envoys  
but till I am dealt with fairly and  
reasonably I shall not move from  
my present position nor abandon my  
moral obligations to the Imperial  
Household. Before I consider any  
concessions an honest settlement  
must be arranged and proper  
guarantees given for the observance  
of its terms. I appeal to the  
Honorable Diplomatic Representa-  
tives of the Treaty Powers in the  
interests of humanity and peace to  
further the consummation of such  
arrangements and pledge myself  
faithfully to observe whatever  
agreements I find possible to make  
with my opponents."

(CHINA PRESS OWN SERVICE)

Tientsin, July

presently; so it is compelled to suggest some method whereby this great misfortune could be avoided. It appears to the Diplomatic Corps that the most effective course to take is to have Chang Hsun, who has already resigned his office, to disarm his troops and yield their arms to the proper authorities.

"On the other hand, General Tuan will formally declare that he will personally be responsible for the safety of Chang Hsun as well as the lives of his soldiers."

Reader's Pacific Series to The China Press

Peking, July 10.—(Delayed) The situation is unchanged. To all intents and purposes the monarchy has disappeared. Only a few Dragon flags remain in Peking.

The chief problem is how to get rid of Chang Hsun's troops without a disturbance. It has been suggested that Chang Hsun might be willing to disband his troops if the safety of himself, his family and his property is guaranteed, but it seems too early to hope for such a solution. Chang Hsun expresses his determination to hold out to the last unless he is permitted to return to Hsichowfu.

It is reported that Hsu Shih-chang refuses to come to Peking to mediate and the responsibility for settling the situation therefore falls on General Wang Shih-chen. The latter called a meeting of the Military Commanders Chiang Chao-chang, Chang Tso-ping, Fu Liang-cho and the Chief of Police, General Wu Ping-hsiang, yesterday.

Owing to the difficulties of disbandment it was proposed to draft about half of the men under Chang Hsun's command into the regular Army, thus reducing it. It is said that Chang Hsun has agreed to this scheme, but this is very doubtful.

The late Minister of War, General Lai Chen-chin, and the late Minister of Finance, Chang Chen-fang, when attempting to escape to Tientsin yesterday, were arrested at Fengtai.

General Feng Lin-ko, the Commander of the 28th Division, which is stationed between Shanhaikuan and Mukden outside the Great Wall, was arrested at Tientsin. After playing an active part in the restoration he left Tientsin a few days ago to return to his command. The doubtful attitude of the 28th Division caused a temporary suspension of traffic between Tientsin and Mukden last week.

Telegrams in code are prohibited unless a translation and the code book or a Consular seal is furnished.

Feng Dismisses Dr. Wu

Tientsin, July 10.—Dr. Wu Ting-fang's dismissal from the post of Minister of Foreign Affairs is contained in a mandate issued by acting President Feng Kuo-chang.

At Republican Headquarters here it is stated that owing to Chang Hsun's obstinacy foreign mediation has been withdrawn and the Republicans intend to attack the Forbidden City when their arrangements have been completed.

Upwards of 50,000 troops are now assembled around Peking, excluding two Divisions within the City.

The only fears arise from Chang Hsun's reported threats to make foreigners pay for their interference.

Canton Awaits Lu Yung-ting

Canton, July 11.—Kwangtung is retaining \$1,800,000 of national revenue.

The citizens complain that the officials are raising funds for military purposes but do not despatch the punitive expedition.

The Ki-yuen, the speaker of the Provincial Assembly, has resigned because the Assembly and the Provincial Government have acted illegally in reopening fanta gambling.

In spite of the fact that Inspector-General Lu Yung-ting has come to no decision, Civil Governor General Chu Ching-ian is preparing an expedition to go north.

General Tsoi Chun-hsuan, Dr. Sun Yat-sen and Chen Ching-ming arrive here shortly.

Pending the arrival of Inspector

General Lu Yung-ting from Kwangtung no decisions have been made concerning the movements of troops although preparations continue daily. The Military Governor Chen Ping-chun denies that there has been a dispute between the Kwangtung and Yunnan soldiers.

The people are getting impatient because the officials are exchanging many telegrams every day but doing nothing of real importance.

The Cantonese question the wisdom of the proposal made by Government officials to sell public property and to use the proceeds for military expenses. They hope that the return of Tong Shao-ji, Chen Ching-ming, Dr. Sun Yat-sen and other leading Cantonese will result in the interests of the Province being protected.

It is understood that the Government itself will administer the fanta gambling in order to raise a fund for war purposes.

#### Abdication Edict Held Up Because of Chang's Defiance

(From the Chinese Press)

On account of the change of attitude of Chang Hsun, the Ching dynasty is withholding the edict cancelling the monarchy, which would have been issued yesterday. Members of the royal family are working hard for the renewal of the special treatment act granted to the Mandchus.

Mediation between Tuan Chi-jui and Chang Hsun was interrupted by the opposition of Feng Yoh-hsian, regiment commander of Langfang, who declared that he will not stop fighting until Chang is captured. The negotiations between Hsu Shih-chang and Wang Shih-chen have also been suspended.

Tuan sent an ultimatum to Chang demanding the cancellation of the monarchy and the withdrawal of his troops or the surrender of their arms within 24 hours. Otherwise he will begin his attack on the Capital.

Part of Chang's troops were ready to surrender, when they were ordered to their posts by their commander. General Chiang Chao-chang Tuesday night strongly advised Chang to yield but without success. He also approached his troops and told them that their privileges will be great if they took the opportunity to surrender at once, but they were firm because Chang Hsun has declared that he will not apologize for what he has done and would rather kill all the members of his family and then commit suicide himself than cancel the monarchy.

In response to the protest of the Japanese Minister against the recent bomb-throwing at Peking, General Chen Kuan-yuan has informed the Diplomatic Corps that his action will be limited to the area of the imperial palaces and will not endanger the life and property of the foreign residents in the Metropolis.

The restoration of the original parliament is now being contemplated by General Feng Kuo-chang. General Tuan Chi-jui is reported to be opposed to the measure.

Military Commissioner Chang Wen-sung, commander-in-chief of all the pig-tailed troops at Hsichowfu, has ordered his soldiers to cut their queues, surrender their arms to General Feng and declare themselves pro-republican. There are 16 battalions under his command.

Eight Chekiang Notables  
Ordered Under Arrest

(From the Chinese Press)

As a consequence of the agitation inaugurated by the Chekiang political radicals against Tuchun Yang Shih-tien, the Military Governor now seeks revenge and has ordered the arrest of eight notables of the provinces, charging them with disturbance of the local peace. Yang ordered the police authorities throughout the province to deal with the accused like brigands and not like political offenders.

The list includes Shen Ting-yi, Tsoi

speaker of the Chekiang provincial assembly, Cho Yang-kwan, former Tuan of Chekiang; Yi Chung-ching, division commander of the province; Wang Wen-ching, former civil governor; Chu Fu-chen, Senator from Chekiang; Shen Tih-san, recently elected Senator from Chekiang, and Tsing Chung-kan, head of the Chian-tingku of Peking.

#### Music For Today

The following program will, weather permitting, be played by the Band in the Public Garden tonight, beginning at 9 o'clock:

1.—March "The Royal Review" ...Loosey  
2.—Overture "Charles VI" ...Haley  
3.—Waltz "Les Sirenes" ...Waldteufel  
4.—Selection "Iolanthe" ...Sullivan  
5.—(a) Song "Farewell" ...Ancliffe  
(b) Intermezzo "Irrawadi" ...Turban  
6.—Polka "Grandmamma" ...Monckton  
7.—Waltz "Balabile" ...Balart  
8.—Selection "Reminiscences of Scotland" ...Godfrey  
A. de Kryer, Conductor-in-charge.

#### Dr. Wu to Speak At Club Tiffin Tomorrow

Other Prominent Men Also To Talk Before American University Men

An interesting program has been arranged for the American University Club tiffin to be held at the Carlton Cafe tomorrow, when members and their friends are to have an opportunity of listening to men prominent in Chinese politics. Dr. Wu Ting-fang, Minister of Foreign Affairs, only recently returned to Shanghai; Mr. C. T. Wang, former Vice-Speaker of the Senate, and Mr. T. C. Quo, former secretary to President Li Yuan-hung, are to speak.

A light summer luncheon is to be served at 12.30.

All non-members of the Club who are interested are invited to attend, but as accommodations are somewhat limited they are requested to notify Secretary Schrader, care the American Consulate, without delay.

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#### Foreigners in Peking Safe, Balfour Assures

Tells Commons Legations Are Acting To Keep Rail Communications Open

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 9.—In the House of Commons today replying to Sir Phillip Magnus, the Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour confirmed the reports that German Agents are spreading falsehoods in Spain and Russia concerning Great Britain, who is represented as endeavoring to produce a revolution in Spain and to restore the monarchy in Russia. He said that both representations were untrue, absurd and inconsistent with the policy of Great Britain, which leaves such countries to manage their own affairs.

Regarding China, Mr. Balfour further said that there was no danger to foreigners. The Legations had warned Peking that communication between the Capital and the sea must be kept open.

#### Ten Serious Robberies In Shanghai In June

#### One Policeman Killed When Band Loots Exchange Shop

Eight cases of armed robberies, one resulting in the death of a Chinese Police watchman, are recorded in the police report for June. There was also one case of attempted armed robbery and one of highway robbery during the month. Twenty-four arrests have been made in connection with these cases.

The robbery in which fatality occurred was that of an exchange shop on Marham Road on June 8. The thieves had taken \$160 from the desk and were fleeing when pluckily resisted by the watchman. He was shot through the back and a bystander was mortally wounded.

Two men connected with an armed robbery and attempted murder were executed at the Arsenal during the month.

#### Australian Steamer Has Explosion At Sea

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Melbourne, July 10.—The Federal S. N. Company's 9,000 ton steamer Cumberland, which was bound from Sydney, N.S.W., for England, has been seriously damaged by two explosions in her hold, which rent the vessel so that it had to be beached on Gabo Island.

#### BELGIAN ORPHANS DYING APPEAL FOR AID STATES

Conditions Growing Worse And A Donation Of 6d. Will Save A Child

A strong appeal is being made in behalf of orphaned Belgian children by the Belgian Orphan Fund and the Friends of the Belgium Society, who state that the need in that devastated country has grown appallingly in the last few months.

A circular letter recently sent out reads as follows:

"6d. will Save that Child."

"In the provinces of Belgium, now held by the enemy, there are some thousands of little orphan children who must be succored at once. Today they are dying of hunger and disease."

"During this long and rigorous winter their plight has been even more terrible."

"The Belgian Orphan Fund, which has amongst its Patrons the King and Queen of the Belgians and which has for its President Her Royal Highness Princess Henry of Battenberg, makes an urgent appeal for these children."

"Arrangements have been entered into with the excellent Society the 'Comite National des Orphelins de la Guerre,' Brussels, to secure a personal supervision of each child. The gift of 6d. a day is needed for each one of them, and the address, and if possible the photograph of the little Belgian sufferer will be sent to you."

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Mrs. Halsted's Poem And Picture Used By The War Department

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New York, June 3.—The War Department has begun the distribution through the House of Art, 116 West Twenty-ninth Street, of half a million copies of a striking patriotic poster entitled "Columbia Calls." The picture, as well as the poem which is being issued with it, is the work of Frances Adams Halsted, (Mrs. E. Bayard Halsted,) and the entire proceeds of the sale of both picture and poem in this and other forms are to be devoted to the establishment of a home for the orphans of American soldiers and sailors, a work which has been a lifelong interest of Mrs. Halsted and to which she is now giving all of her time.

The picture shows Columbia standing on the globe, clad in flowing white robes with a coronet of silver stars in her liberty cap. In her left hand she holds the American flag aloft against a background of deep blue sky; in her right hand is a bare sword. The design was the result of long planning by Mrs. Halsted, but was preceded by a poem also called "Columbia Calls," which was written about a year ago when she became convinced that war with Germany was inevitable. The poem follows:

Awake, ye men, from dreams of peace  
Nor sleep when danger's near,  
But fling Old Glory to the breeze  
There are no cowards here!  
Our fathers fought; like heroes died,  
For peace their blood they gave  
That honor, home, and peace be ours:  
Awake! thy country save!

Our flag for honor ever stands.  
To lift the weak, to lead the free,  
America, our blessed land,  
Is calling, calling thee.

From North to South, from Sea to Sea,  
I hear the answering cry:  
"Thy sons forever shall be free  
For thee will live and die!"

Then fling Old Glory to the main,  
Beneath her stars enroll,  
For cowardice shall never stain  
The glory of her folds.

The Stars and Stripes shall lead us on  
A mighty host for right—

That Peace shall reign forevermore  
And war from earth take flight.

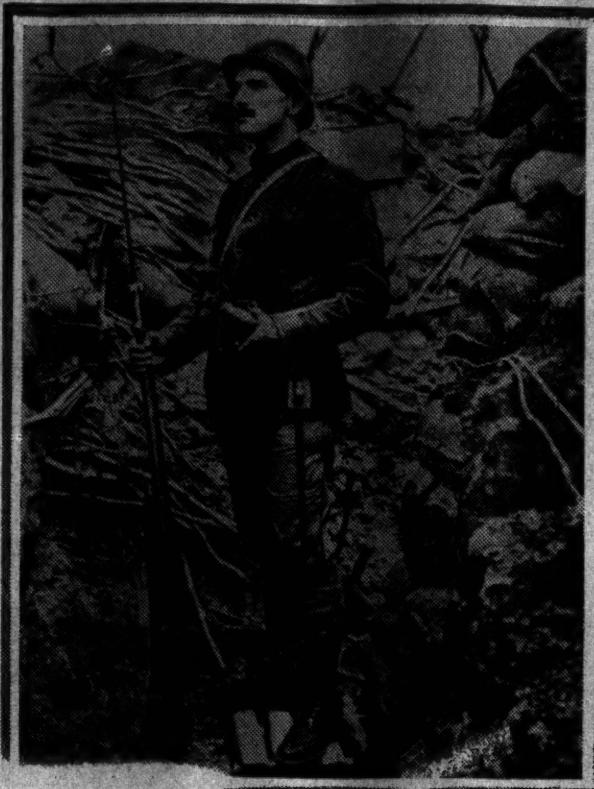
As soon as war was declared Mrs. Halsted offered both the picture and poem to the War Department without charge, and that body decided to distribute both broadcast as stimulation to patriotic sentiment.

Adjutant General McCuin wrote: "Permit me to express to you my sincere appreciation of your unselfish efforts in rendering such material and general assistance to the department for the purpose of stimulating recruiting. It gives me great pleasure to express my belief that the appeal of these inspiring posters will bring immediate response. Kindly accept my congratulations upon the success of your efforts to arouse the patriotic spirit of America to a sense of the obligation imposed by the present grave national crisis."

The late Joseph H. Choate wrote: "I am very much obliged to you for your kindness in sending me your delightful picture of 'Columbia Calls' and the truly inspiring verses appended to it. I am confident that you will have the satisfaction of feeling that you have raised many recruits in support of the flag." Other letters expressing appreciation of Mrs. Halsted's service were received from Senator Francis E. Warren, Alton B. Parker, Alexander J. Hemphill, Henry Litchfield West, and Major Louis Livingston Seaman.

Mrs. Halsted is a daughter of the late Francis Adams of Boston and a granddaughter of the late Adam Brown of New Hampshire, well known as a philanthropist, who contributed \$40,000 for the education of children orphaned by a famine in India.

**First American to Enlist In French Foreign Legion**



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**DENY MUNITIONS SHORTAGE**

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The Kaiser's army is in no danger of running short of munitions, says a semi-official statement recently furnished to the German press in answer to alleged "efforts of the

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It is asserted that the manufacture of gunpowder and explosives in any quantity has been made certain, and Germany is said to be producing by artificial means larger quantities of

nitrogen than she imported from Chile before the war. The price of cotton in the manufacture of powder has been taken by cellulose. There is now abundance of glycerine, since Germany has succeeded in producing it not from fats, but from other materials of which there is an unlimited supply. It is said that for a long time Germany has been in this respect independent of foreign supplies.

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#### THE DEEPENING SHADOW

The Land of Deepening Shadow: Germany at the Third Year of War. By D. Thomas Curtin. New York: George H. Doran Company. \$1.50 gold.

The author of this extremely interesting inside view of Germany at war is a young American, a graduate of Harvard, who has spent most of the time since the outbreak of the war in Germany as correspondent of the *Northcliffe* papers. His book contains an immense mass of firsthand information of conditions, ideas, methods, purposes in the German Government and among the German people that will well repay the attention of any one who wishes to be adequately informed as to the progress of affairs in that war-girt land whence have come so many unreliable rumors as to have much darkened counsel concerning them in this country. Better than any other wartime writer, Mr. Curtin has given the measure of these people—both spiritually and materially—who are now our enemies whom we are preparing to fight with all our might. And since thorough knowledge of an enemy is the first essential of efficient warfare, the intimate, first-hand view which he offers ought to have wide reading.

In America perhaps one of the least understood features of the German Nation is its absolute unity in its sanction of the war, the war's purposes, and the methods by which the war is carried on. Mr. Curtin's book leaves no doubt of that fact, and some of its chapters are devoted to an exposition of how that unity has been brought about. It has been created by the Government with definite intention to achieve this very purpose. The schools, the pulpits, the newspapers, the professors' chairs are all so many wheels in a machinery whose motive power is in Berlin, whose purpose is to create blind, unquestioning, fanatic approval, and which never slips a cog. In the schools the children are trained in a creed of state worship, hate of enemies, and adoration of militarism, which poisons their minds from the start. Mr. Curtin quotes the German words and the prose translation of one of the songs sung daily in German schools as follows:

"Over there in the cowardly trenches lies the enemy. We attack him, and

only a dog will say that pardon should be given today. Strike dead everything which prays for mercy. Shoot everything down like dogs. More enemies more enemies be your prayer in this hour of retribution."

The churches have become a part of the war machine and help to spread the conviction that Germany was attacked by envious nations, who must be hated and despised and destroyed. The professor, who, Mr. Curtin says, "has long been, like the army officer, a semi-deity in Germany," has been enlisted by the Government in the same work. To the professors it sends an "arrangement" of condensed and garbled articles from the English newspapers, which they accept unquestioningly and from which they get their sole information as to the outer world. Mr. Curtin heard a lecture at the University of Berlin, in Munich, in which he talked for an hour and a half to a packed audience of the elite of the Bavarian capital on the duty, the pleasure, and the efficiency of hatred. He told his audience that they must hate the very soul of England, hate the essence of everything English; that hatred is the greatest force in the world to overcome tremendous obstacles, and that either one must hate or one must fear. Close attention and nods and signs of assent during the address were followed by tumultuous applause at its close, and a rush to shower praise and admiration upon the speaker, while Mr. Curtin heard around him such exclamations as "Beautiful!" and "Wonderful!" He also found that facts are misrepresented on official movie films by the German Government in order to create feeling against the enemy. There is a detailed account of how the newspapers are manipulated and made to serve as an "idea factory" for the creation of a unified public opinion. Included in this chapter is considerable information about how some American correspondents in Germany have been seduced into strange ways that throws interesting light upon some remarks Mr. Gerard has recently made on the injury to their country of which some of them have been guilty.

Notwithstanding all this, Mr. Curtin, writing of conditions as late as mid-January, found the beginnings of flaws in this universal armor of self-hypnotised satisfaction and faith in victory. There is much significance in his account of the attrition of manpower, the lessening of food, and the shadows that are deepening over the land, although these do not yet seem to be great enough to afford much hope of an early weakening.

#### GERMANY

Behind the German Veil: A Record of a Realistic War Pilgrimage. By J. M. de Beaufort. Illustrated. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co. \$2.50 gold.

The Ruhleben Prison Camp: A Record of Nineteen Months' Internment. By Israel Cohen. Illustrated. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co. \$2.50 gold.

The German Terror in Belgium: A Historical Record. By Arnold J. Toynbee. Illustrated. New York: George H. Doran Company \$1. gold.

The author of "Behind the German Veil" is an audacious young journalist who understands the full value of bluff in the matter of getting news and frankly lets the reader know just how much he employed that method as he circulated through various parts of Germany in his search after facts.

By birth and parentage he is Hollander, but he is American by adoption, and he received his journalistic training in the United States. He speaks with little respect of the usual methods by

which foreign journalists in Germany get their material, and therein he confirms some of the assertions that have recently been made by other American correspondents, who also declined to be named. Mr. de Beaufort says that there are three ways open to a journalist in the Fatherland. One is to throw all self-respect to the winds, take the German view of everything, and, in short, to become a German press agent. The second is to remain quietly in Berlin and at least pretend to swallow all that is ladled out by the General Staff and the Foreign Office while privately gathering such impressions as constant surveillance leaves possible. The third is to take your liberty in your hand and prowl about the country, going wherever you can slip through, and when you are sent back to Berlin going somewhere else. He found it quite possible to ignore the ever-present "verbotten" sign with safety because the German populace so universally respects it that if one is seen on the other side of the sign officials are pretty sure to take it for granted that he has business there. Mr. de Beaufort bears the same witness to the solidarity of the German Nation that all other correspondents have done who have come into close contact with the people. He says that the people are absolutely at one with the Government and that their confidence in the Kaiser and their admiration for him are unbounded and unshakable. He found the conviction universal that the enemies of Germany had forced the war upon her and that Germany is fighting only because she had to, and he came to the conclusion that if Germany were beaten in the war the people would only rally more firmly than ever around the Government. He quotes one of Hindenburg's staff officers as saying to him that they would not have supposed they could meet successfully so many enemies, adding: "If we are able to accomplish all this unprepared, then, by Heaven! give us a draw now and see what we can do ten years hence!" A section of the book is devoted to general impressions gathered by mixing with all sorts of people in many places. It is full of anecdotes, instances, and descriptions, and offers some of the most interesting first-hand accounts that have come out of Germany. Other sections tell of a trip to the eastern front and a talk with Hindenburg, describe a rather remarkable visit to the fleet and naval harbors and present a long series of interviews with a dozen or more of the men most prominent in German affairs. Mr. de Beaufort writes vividly, although somewhat garrulously, and his book is full of interesting matter of much importance for Americans if they would understand the German spirit. He was in Europe as the correspondent of The London Daily Telegraph.

Mr. Cohen was a member for a year and a half of the Ruhleben prison camp wherein are concentrated British civilians in Germany of military age. He was released in June of last year and has since written this very comprehensive and graphic account of the life of the several thousand inmates of the camp. He describes the activities of the prisoners, the food and health conditions, the mental, moral, and spiritual factors, and, in short, makes his book a complete picture of the life as the seasons came and went. He says that whatever has been done to make the burden of internment less unbearable has been the result of the collective efforts of the prisoners themselves, and he speaks feelingly of the tragedies of the situation which are wearing away the physical well-being and even the lives of many of the inmates of the camp.

If there still remains a single American who has any doubts about the atrocities committed by the German Army in Belgium, or is inclined to condone them because they were a part of war, such a one should read with care Mr. Toynbee's little book. Its material has all been co-ordinated from published documents and, therefore, its evidence cannot be frowned down or minimised in any way. He has made every effort to eliminate the subjective influence and to make his narrative absolutely true to facts. The book deals only with the regions overrun by the German armies during the first three months of the war, and the facts are taken from a great variety of sources, including diaries of German soldiers, accounts by eyewitnesses, the Bryce report, various books written by combatants and neutrals.

#### AROUND THE WORLD

Around the World Cruise. By Frank Carrel, journalist. Illustrated. Quebec: The Telegraph Printing Company.

Of travel books the number is legion,

but each traveler has his own tale to tell, and apparently will always find

his audience awaiting him. The present volume deals with a world tour conducted by a Canadian newspaper before the outbreak of the great war, and seems to have been originally written by Mr. Carrel in installments for his journal.

Starting from Quebec the party traveled to the Pacific Coast and thence to Honolulu, but for the average reader the story does not readily begin till they reach Japan. Emphasising the foreigner's difficulty of understanding that strange land and people the author quotes the native who said: "When you find in four or five years that you cannot understand to the Japanese at all then you will begin to understand them." On the various religious beliefs of the country there are some shrewd observations, but the writer's final opinion is that real religion—as Christians use the term—has neither a deep nor an extensive influence. That Japan has its jingoes as well as America is clearly shown by an extract from an anti-American datribe, full of rancor and gross exaggeration.

Of China and the Chinese the author gives us a picturesque account, and a contrast is drawn between the quiet, easy-going ways of the Japanese and the hustling, bustling instincts of the Chinese. "With the educated Chinese," he tells us, "it is no trouble to get along . . . but with the ignorant classes it is different; they have to be controlled and kept in order with an iron rule."

Americans will find some valuable remarks on our Far Eastern possessions in the author's contrast between the methods of government of Americans, British, and Dutch in their various dependencies. The United States, he says, enforces in the Philippines a much more rigid observance of American laws and customs than does either England or Holland, who allow the natives free scope with regard to their private manner of living. The British, he thinks, are easily the most successful in their dealings with their colonies, with the United States ranking second.

The long chapter on India is, on the whole, the most entertaining of the book, and Mr. Carrel has made a wide survey of the country. He gives us some fascinating glimpses of India's teeming life and bizarre customs and a historical and descriptive account of its many famous temples, mausoleums, and palaces. The book concludes with a brief commentary on Egypt and a description of the return voyage to New York.

#### THE GOOD GIRL

The Good Girl. By Vincent O'Sullivan. Boston: Small, Maynard & Co. \$1.50 (gold).

The novel by Vincent O'Sullivan, a young American who has lived chiefly in England and France, was first published in London in 1912. Arrangements are now being made for the presentation here of his work as a whole, and "The Good Girl" is brought out in a new American edition. Meanwhile it has been discussed by critics, and Edward Garnett has assigned to the book and author a definite rating in our literature by saying that "The Good Girl" entitles its author to a place among the first twenty American novelists."

"The Good Girl" is a story of marked skill in character delineation, and of equally marked unpleasantness. Its theme is the by no means novel study of a young man's infatuation for an unworthy woman. Vendred is the child of a fanatically religious, almost cloistered mother, and a self-indulgent and rather brutish father. His own life has been singularly apart from the whirl of the world until he falls in love with the face of a woman, seen across a concert hall. It is perhaps characteristic of Vendred that the woman's face seems to him not only supremely fascinating, but strangely and sadly and immensely good. It is equally characteristic of the complex character that Mr. O'Sullivan has drawn, that when he discovers her to be far from "good" Vendred's devotion suffers no decreasing. He squanders his life as completely as does the hero of "Torrents of Spring" for an infatuation, and the story ends—though somewhat sentimentally—in a hopeless grayness. "The Good Girl" is a thoroughly ugly and depressing story, in which, however, it is interesting to note that the author appears less engrossed in its ugliness than in his characters themselves. Vendred, his enchantress, her gambler husband, and the poor "good girl" her step-daughter, who becomes Vendred's wife, are interestingly drawn.

#### HELPING RUSSIAN HARVEST

America Sends Binder Twine And Machinery for New Crops. Quebec: The Telegraph Printing Company.

While the United States is making extraordinary efforts to raise bumper crops here this year, a statement given out by D. E. Casey, agent in charge of the New York office of the

Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, indicates that this country had "done its bit" to insure the successful harvesting of Russia's crops by furnishing adequate supplies of binder twine and harvesting machinery.

"Based on requirements for binder twine in previous years," the statement reads, "it is estimated that a sufficient quantity of American twine has been, or is now being, shipped to Russia to provide ample for the coming crops. The approximate quantity of twine used annually in Russian territory prior to the war has been estimated by a large agricultural machinery company in Petrograd at about 30,000,000 pounds. The consumption of binder twine probably will not be augmented during the war.

"It is estimated that 95 per cent of the binder twine used in Russia is

of sisal fibre and that most of this must be imported. How important is the supply of American twine for the successful harvesting of the Russian crop may be readily seen when it is shown that 95 per cent of all the imported twine used in Russia is of American origin. England has enjoyed a limited trade in binder twine in Russia, and previous to the war the Germans claimed a small market.

The American twine is mostly sisal, the Manila fibre having little market in Russia.

"The supply of American harvesting machinery in Russia is likewise

depended upon for the successful harvesting of the coming crop. Confining the estimate to the class of machines that use twine, and reckoning the life of a machine at five years, the largest dealer in Russia in American harvesting machinery of this class places the number of machines used in Russia at 120,000, of which 100,000 are American and

20,000 foreign-made. Investigation proves that American harvesting machinery has likewise been sufficiently provided to care for the Russian crops this year."

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HARVARD UNIT NOW ABROAD

Red Cross Base Hospital No. 5 Arrives in England

Washington, May 22.—Arrival in England of the Harvard Medical School unit, officially known as Red Cross Base Hospital No. 5 was announced today in a cablegram to Chairman Davison of the Red Cross War Council.

This unit is commanded by Major

Robert U. Patterson of the Army Medical Corps, with Dr. Harvey Cushing as Director, and is the second to

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## SAMSON'S TOMB IN PATH OF THE BRITISH

English Advance Over Land In Jerusalem Where Ancient Giant Performed Feats

Washington, D. C., June 2.—"In advancing upon Gaza, an ancient city of Palestine, three miles inland from the Mediterranean and about fifty miles southwest of Jerusalem, the British forces in the Near East are fighting over territory which was the scene of the spectacular exploits of the great Judge of Israel, Samson, more than 1,000 years before the Christian era," says a war geography bulletin of the National Geographic Society.

"Gaza was one of the five great cities of the Philistines, having risen to commercial importance on account of its situation at the juncture of the trade routes between Egypt and Babylonia, Elath and Arabia. Its seaport was Majumas, re-named Constanti many centuries later by Constantine.

"During the heyday of Gaza's prosperity the Philistines were a powerful and warlike people, their soldiers being equipped with copper helmets, coats of mail, javelins and long lances, each man thus accoutred being accompanied into battle by a shield-bearer. The light-armed soldiers were archers.

"After the Israelites conquered it, Gaza was a prey to Assyrians, Babylonians and Persians. It resisted the Greeks under Alexander the Great for several months. More than two centuries later it was destroyed by Alexander Jannaeus, the Jewish king. Subsequently a new Gaza, some distance south of the old city, was built and was presented by Emperor Augustus to King Herod. Upon the latter's death it became a part of the Roman province of Syria.

"Up to the days of Constantine Gaza was one of the chief strongholds of paganism, the god Marnas being worshipped there until the beginning of the fifth century. In the seventh century came the Arabs, and the Moslems still venerate it as the place of burial of Mohammed's grandfather. The Crusaders under Baldwin II, tried to revive its former glory, but without success, and twenty years after their erection of a military stronghold there Saladin plundered the town. Napoleon captured Gaza in 1799.

"One of the points of interest pointed out to tourists is the 'tomb of Samson,' but there is no evidence to show that the site is authentic. El Muntar, 'the watch tower,' is thought to be the eminence to which the strong man of Israel 'took the doors of the gate of the city and the two posts.' He 'went away with them, bar and all, and carried them up to the top of a hill that is before Hebron.'

"It was in Gaza also that the final tragic chapter in Samson's life was enacted. 'And Samson said: "Let me die with the Philistines, so runs the Biblical account. 'And he bowed himself with all his might, and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people that were therein. So the dead which he slew at his death were more than they which he slew in his life.'

"Gaza is today a city of some 40,000 inhabitants. The chief industry of the community is the manufacture of a peculiar black pottery. Barley is raised extensively nearby and exported to England. The bazaars and the apparel of the Moslem women are strongly suggestive of Egypt."

### News Briefs

The meeting of the Census committee in the American military training and registration move was postponed yesterday and will take place this afternoon at 5.15 in Major Holcomb's office.

The American steamer Don Niel is aground off Square Island, according to reports by the Hsin Peking.

The Banque Industrielle de Chine is paying a dividend of eight per cent for the last year, according to a telegram received here from the head office in Paris.

Mr. R. F. Inman, of Messrs. Holme, Elinger and Co., Nagasaki, died in Yokohama July 7, according to reports just received. Mr. Inman had been suffering from heart trouble at intervals for the past year and on June 27, with Mrs. Inman and their daughter, left on the Shinyo Maru for San Francisco for his health. He was in a greatly weakened condition and at Yokohama physicians advised his removal to the General Hospital. Mr. Inman was a native of England and had lived in Nagasaki nearly twenty years, being on the staff of Messrs. Holme, Elinger and Co. for the past fifteen years. He married Miss Dow, daughter of former English residents of Shanghai, in 1902. He was chairman of the Nagasaki Club, a trustee of the English church, hon. secretary and treasurer of the Patriotic League of Britons Overseas, and the senior P. M. of Lodge Nagasaki.

Hearing of the case of Hong Chi who is being tried in the Mixed Court in connection with the assassination of Sung Chao-jen, former cabinet minister, was postponed yesterday owing to the illness of Mr. R. F. C. Master, counsel for the prosecution.

The Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Railway administration announces the resumption of the usual services, as the transportation of troops from Hangchow to Nanking is now completed.

Next Saturday, July 14, is to be "Red Cross Day" at Sullivan's, when half the gross receipts will be given to the French Red Cross. The attractions will be an American Soda fountain and delicious American candies.

### 'The Fanatic' at the Isis

The Shanghai Isis Theater presents tonight "The Fanatic," the great serial film, in 16 episodes. The film has been novelized by the famous author, Louis Tracy, and stars the celebrated dramatic artist, Edwin Stevens, in the role of Kafra-kan, the fanatic, supported by Florence Malone and Margaret Gale and an excellent company.

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### Powhatan Club Prizes

Following are the results of the 3rd drawing of the Powhatan Club War Savings Association Raffle, which took place on July 9:

1st Prize won by No. 40 Foochow

2nd Prize won by No. 17 Shanghai

3rd Prize won by No. 199 Mukden

4th Prize won by No. 83 Shansi

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### GOSSIP

#### FIRST SWIMMING GALA HELD BY ROWING CLUB

#### INTERESTING EVENTS WITH CLOSE FINISHES PROVIDE GOOD SPORT FOR CROWD

The first midweek gala of the Shanghai Rowing Club was held last evening before a goodly crowd of spectators including a large proportion of women.

Mr. W. J. Gande, who adjusted the imposts, was most successful with his first effort as handicapper and brought off very close finishes in the three heats and final of the one-length races.

Messrs. R. W. MacCabe and C. V. Jensen officiated as judges. The diving (running headers from springboard) brought out only five competitors, but all were of a high standard. Brodie was best but got only 3rd place, as he was heavily handicapped.

The Flying Squadron Team Race was well contested. The last event on the program was a water polo match, ably refereed by Mr. T. A. Macdonald.

The detailed results:

#### ONE LENGTH HANDICAP

Heat 1:	W. M. S. Brand (7 secs.)	1
	E. T. Nash (4 secs.)	2
	E. A. Brodie (scr.)	3
Time:	23.2-5 secs.	

#### Heat 2:

A. E. Donald (6 secs.)	1	
E. Goldinan (3 secs.)	2	
K. Mansfield (1 secs.)	3	
E. G. Barnes (7 secs.)	0	
Time:	23 secs.	

#### Heat 3:

K. H. Gardner (3 secs.)	1	
M. R. Gordon (7 secs.)	2	
J. L. Cowan (Jr.) (4 secs.)	3	
Time:	23.2-3 secs.	

#### FINAL HEAT:

Goldman	1	
Brand	2	
Gardner	3	
Donald	0	
Time:	23.1-5 secs.	

#### RUNNING HEADERS

K. H. Gardner	1
A. Goldman	2
E. A. Brodie	3
M. R. Gordon	0
E. A. Donald	0

The Flying Squadron team race was a ding-dong contest all the way through. The teams were:—Brand, Berties, Nash, Agassiz and Mansfield (on the creek side) and Gordon, Donald, Cowan, Goldman and Brodie (on the road side). The former were victorious by a couple of seconds. Each man swam one length of the bath.

The water polo game was between two sides captained by Messrs. H. D. Rodger and R. W. MacCabe, respectively. There were eight players on each side, which more or less demoralized the game and the exhibition was pretty poor throughout, even for the initial game of the season. Only three players acquitted themselves at all well, viz., J. S. Agassiz, (left forward), K. H. Gardner (goal) and especially E. G. Barnes (goal).

The last-named played one of the best games as custodian ever witnessed in the Rowing Club tank, particularly in the second half, when in defending the shallow end he was subjected to a continual bombardment by MacCabe's forwards, notably Agassiz, who tested him with every kind of shot, and only got past his defense on one occasion. For a new hand in that position Gardner was also a great success as goalie, and stopped some stingers from Brodie and Rodger.

Agassiz played a superior game both halves and would have scored more had he been properly fed by the backs. As it was, in the first half E. T. Nash scored for Rodger's side.

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no other goal being recorded in the opening period. In the second half Agassiz equalized, but Rodger put his side once more ahead just before full time.

Mr. T. A. Macdonald wielded the whistle and flags to every one's satisfaction.

The team to represent the Rowing Club in water polo against the International Swimming Club at the Municipal bath tomorrow night will be chosen from among the following players—all of whom are requested to be in the tank not later than 9.30 p.m.:—E. G. Barnes, I. D. Macdonald, J. S. Agassiz, W. J. Gande, R. W. MacCabe, E. A. Brodie, H. D. Rodger, T. A. Macdonald, E. T. Nash K. Mansfield, A. Goldman, A. E. Donald, M. R. Gordon, and L. Berties.

A one length scratch race was held between C. Doyle, R. Shellswell and C. Morgan, and was won after a very close and exciting race by R. Shellswell. Time: 23.4-5.

Reds Out To Even Up Series With Blues Today

GAMES NOW STAND 3 AND 2;  
CONTEST CALLED FOR 4.30

The Police Swimming Club held its first meeting of the summer yesterday morning. A good program was run off. The results follow:

One Length Breast Stroke—1st Heat:—J. Wilson, 1st; H. Jefferson, 2nd.

Second Heat:—J. Hunter, 1st; P. S. Page, 2nd.

Final:—J. Hunter, 1st; P. S. Page, 2nd. Time: 23.2-5.

One Length Blindfold Race.—J. Wilson, 1st.

With a chance to even up the series by winning today's game, the Red Sox team is prepared to put up a strong argument when it meets the Blue hosed club mates at 4.30. The games stand 3 to 2 in favor of the latter organization just now.

On Saturday the protested Independence Day game for the Challenge Cup is to be played off between All-Navy and All-Shanghai.

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## WEATHER

A depression (likely a typhoon) is on the Pacific to the East of the Philippines threatening these islands and Formosa. Local thunderstorms. (Many telegrams are lacking.)

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## IMPARTIAL AND PROGRESSIVE

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## First Of All Airplanes

(New York Times)

SECRETARY Baker and Brig. Gen. Squier, Chief of the Signal Corps, are planning the creation and equipment of a great American airplane force. By no other means can we so quickly or so surely render valuable aid to our allies. Development of this force, in fact, has been under way for some time, but on too small a scale. The Government has been striving to stoke for our neglect of an invention which has proved to be of prime importance in modern warfare, but the appropriations for military air service have been entirely too small. To render effective service we must train 10,000 aviators and build not fewer than 40,000 airplanes. The experts of the Aero Club of this city calculate that one airplane is needed to train one aviator. This is a fair average, as the flying machines in active use are short lived. Three planes are needed to equip each trained aviator. It is the idea of the Aero Club that at first we should concentrate our energies on the building of machines. This Signal Corps, with the aid of the Council of Defense, has located and listed all the manufacturers in this country in which airplanes can be built. These include the automobile factories and many of the larger furniture factories. The building of training machines will expedite at home the education of airmen, while those that we can quickly send abroad will release hundreds of British and French machines for actual war service.

Airplanes can be rapidly built. We have the aviation fields and the hangars. We have the men. Money is all that is lacking and the people of this country expect the vast sums to be raised by bond sales and heavy taxation to be expended to the best advantage for the earliest possible conclusion of the war. We ought to be doing good service to the cause of world democracy on the western front in France and Belgium before next Winter. The 100 American naval aviators who arrived in England simultaneously with General Pershing will probably be employed in the operations against German submarines, but the need of aircraft reinforcements on land is equally great, and our allies know, through the heroic achievements of the Lafayette Escadrille, what trained American aviators can do as scouts and as destroyers of enemy planes and ammunition stores.

In the operations south of Ypres the British triumph has been largely due to success in the air. The German gunners were blinded by the courageous and skillful airmen of the British Army, who destroyed many German planes, and by wireless telegraphy informed the British gunners of the German positions. In the German death lists the names of many aviation officers are conspicuous. Germany can no longer boast of supremacy in the air. English and French airmen have outdone her, and Americans will do as well when they have the chance. It is a noteworthy fact, too, that so far as the Allies are concerned casualties among the airmen are the smallest. The medical service suffers more. We cannot do our plain duty in reinforcing the allied air service, however, until Congress appropriates money enough to permit us to expedite preparations on a large scale. An immediate appropriation of \$500,000,000 has been urged, but fully \$1,000,000,000 will be required to enable the American air service in France to put this country foremost in a branch of warfare in which it should be supreme.

## German News From Alsace-Lorraine

The President Of The Landtag Lower House Expresses, Not His Own, But Prussian Thoughts

By Jonas Lippmann

(Formerly of the *Journal d'Alsace*)

The Imperial German Government, backed by the reptilian press, is again indulging in its favorite game of deception and misrepresentation. The latest attempt in that direction is the cabled report, published in the leading American newspapers, of the opening session of the Landtag of Alsace-Lorraine. Contrary to precedent, that announcement was not made for home consumption. The object in flashing this news broadcast was primarily to impress upon the "idiotic Yankees" to use the language of Captain von Papen, the former German military attache, that there is no Alsace-Lorraine question so far as the inhabitants of those provinces are concerned, and furthermore, to tell Americans to mind their own business in view of the President's recent statement that "small people, in the future, shall not be sold, transferred, or delivered without the consent of the governed."

In order to expose to the American reader this latest specimen of infamy "made in Germany," a few words of explanation are necessary. The Landtag of Alsace-Lorraine is a product of the Simili Constitution adopted in 1911. It is composed of two chambers which, let us call, for the sake of illustration, the Senate and the House. The Senate is composed of forty-six members, one-half of whom are appointed by the Kaiser; the other half chosen from constituted bodies such as the university, the religious denominations, the Chamber of Commerce, the Council of Agriculture, the Municipal Councils (Boards of Aldermen) from Strasbourg, Metz, Mulhouse, and Colmar. Therefore, not one of the members composing this Senate comes direct from the people, not one of them is elected, but all of them are appointed, so that a session of this upper house resembles a *réunion de famille*, a family gathering strongly permeated with the Hohenzollern atmosphere. Had the cabled announcement been made in that body it would not have had the same weight of importance as if made in the lower house, presided over by Dr. George Ricklin.

The lower house or Zweite Kammer, as it is officially called, is composed of members elected by universal suffrage direct, equal, and secret. Therefore, any proposition or demand formulated in that lower house reflects in ordinary times the sentiments of the electors, of the people. When Dr. Ricklin, the President of that Chamber, stated in his opening speech that "We Alsatians reject everything which is allegedly undertaken to better our lot," and further that "We make this confession of faith in the face of the whole world," these sentiments are supposedly the sentiments of the Alsatians, who elected the men who chose Dr. Ricklin as their President.

And never will one find an Alsatian, Alsatian parents, who does not want to be "liberated." A statement to the contrary is a slur on our manhood, an insult to our intelligence, and a stain on our national character. The restoration of martyred Alsace-Lorraine to France is not annexation. It is restitution.

## Dutch Split Food Exports

"Every consignment of Dutch cattle exported to Germany costs the lives of sons of France," recently declared a French writer. "The British blockade of Germany is still being evaded by the weakness of the Foreign Office's policy," constantly reiterates some London papers.

A Dutch authority writing from The Hague states that, while the vast transit trade over Holland into Germany has long since been cut off by the British fleet, with the exception of insignificant quantities of goods smuggled across the frontier, Germany is still obtaining considerable supplies of needed goods from Holland, the produce of Dutch farms and market gardens, butter, cheese, eggs, milk, vegetables, meat, bacon and ham, as well as fish, but a radical alteration has been brought about in the division of the country's surplus products.

Up to the middle of last year the high prices offered by Germany and Austria were drawing the bulk of Holland's surplus produce over her eastern frontier, and trade with Britain had fallen almost to the vanishing point.

Holland was running a great risk of losing its old British customers permanently, and it became evident that the country's oversea supplies of fodder grain might be cut off if these continued to be merely converted into food for Germany.

The result was a decision to divide the country's surplus food between the Entente Allies and the Central Powers in the same proportion as

## Captain Persius Praises U-Boat Crews

Under the title "The Hardships of the U-Boat Service" Captain L. Persius, the leading German naval writer, contributed the following article to a recent issue of the Berliner Tageblatt. This article serves clearly to indicate how the leading German writers are striving to bolster up the German courage in the eventual success of U-Boat warfare:

"At present the crews of the German submarines are the objects of particularly warm interest. Of course, their heroic activities have been followed with undiminished attention ever since that notable 22nd of September, 1914, when the never-to-be-forgotten Weddigen sent three English armored cruisers to the bottom of the North Sea with well-aimed torpedoes from the U-9. That the 'David,' the little submarine, is able to give the death blow to the huge 'Goliath,' the battleship, and that it possesses powers far exceeding the expectations placed upon this most modern instrument of battle before the war, has been proved by the torpedoing of the ships of the line before the Dardanelles, which put an end to the entire Anglo-French undertaking, in particular, and furthermore by the sinking of many other enemy warships.

"But the U-boats have made themselves the center of attraction only since they have shown their effectiveness in the warfare on commerce. Here an entirely new field was opened to them. On October 26, 1914, the British merchantman Glitra fell a victim to a U-boat (U-17) southwest of Skudeneshavn of the Norwegian coast. This was the first destruction of a merchant ship by a submarine. Soon others followed on the Atlantic coast of France, in the Irish Channel, &c. The world stared in surprise. The U-boats were attacking the enemy's commerce. That was a novelty never anticipated. During the two and a half years that have passed the feeling of certitude has grown more definite from month to month that the U-boat may be destined to cut off the main artery even of Great Britain that rules the seas, through the tying up of her imports, and that thus the U-boat points to the way in which the freedom of the seas' may be insured in the future.

"If the people whose existence is most closely connected with the uninterrupted importation of foodstuffs from over the sea sees that for its own life it must move for the undisturbed peaceful use of the seas even in war times, then the last barrier will fall—i.e., all the paragraphs contrary to civilization, those speaking of prizes, privatising, contraband, &c., must be removed from sea law; in short, the principle that ought to be taken for granted by civilised nations that private property may not be destroyed on the water, as it may not be infringed upon land in time of war, will be recognised.

Praise Of Submarine Crews  
"The men who are helping create this condition desired in the interests of humanity and the development of culture are the crews of the U-boats. Of course, in order to carry out their task, they need instruments, vessels, and weapons of the most cunning construction. The creators of these things, the ship-builders and engineers, must not be forgotten when the triumphs of the submarine weapon are brought to mind. Only after war will it be recognised to its full extent what the German people owe to its U-boat builders and to the constructors of the many pieces of machinery concealed in the U-boats and what almost incredible technical progress has been made in Germany since the Fall of 1914, not only in the perfection of products, but also in the rapidity with which the desires of the front have been fulfilled. Any one who might be permitted to raise the curtain just a little and to penetrate the veil that now naturally covers everything connected with U-boat construction would be overwhelmed with the extent of what has been created by German science in every necessary line.

"But the most excellent weapon is of no use by itself. It must be placed in the hands of men who know how to handle it. In fact, the capability of the modern U-boat, born in German shipyards, is unlimited. But the capability of the U-boat personnel is also unlimited. Germany witnesses the successes of the U-boats almost daily. We all read about the daring deeds of the U-boats. So no doubt everybody has formed a picture of the life of the brave fellows upon whom the hopes of Germany are now built. Certainly, this picture will resemble the reality in but few cases. But that doesn't hurt the matter any. Ad-

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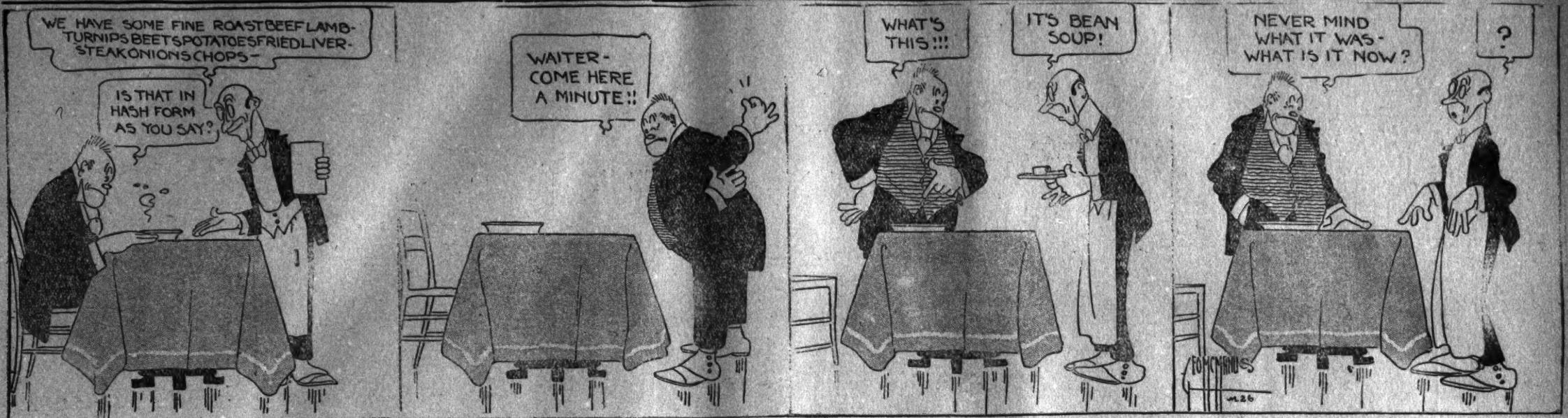
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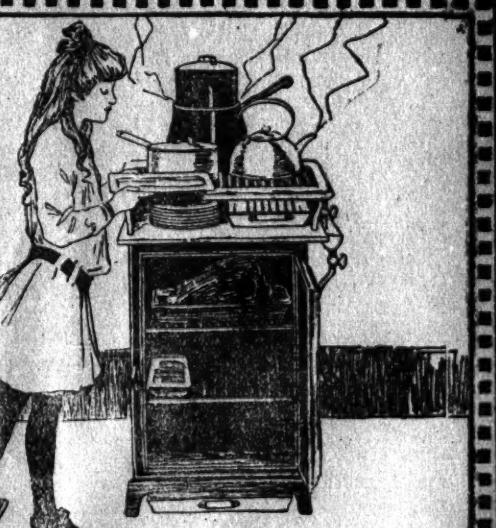
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## Unpopular Songs :- By W. F. Kirk

Let's Play The Phonograph Awhile

Within a swell apartment where the steam heat filled the air,  
A fair young wife was gazing at her husband standing there.  
The husband had a hangdog look, a look of dread disgrace,  
Like many gents who dare not look their yelpmates in the face.  
And as she started in to say, "Well, tell me where you've been!"  
That gent did answer quickly as the phonograph he seen.

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"Let's play the phonograph awhile,  
Let's hear them voices great -  
The songs that Mother used to sing  
When Father was home late!  
For music charms the savage heart  
And makes all anger flee.  
Let's give the phonograph a start  
Before you start on me!"

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That stern wife stood in silence, then said, "We'll play instead  
This record I had meant to crack upon your noble head."  
She put the record in its place and through the pulsing air  
A song ran out, "Go Home, Old Scout! Your Wife Is Waiting There!"  
The tears come to the husband's eyes, "I'll room no more," he cried,  
"Our war is o'er - I'll room no more!" And once again he sighed.

(REFRAIN.)

## The Army Mule Comes Into Its Own

By Roy K. Moulton

Now that the great American mule is going to fight for his own country at last, it is to be hoped that there will be a new light in his downcast eye and an improvement in his morbid disposition.

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him back to the corral he calls it the end of a perfect day. But if the same mule is put to following the pursuits of peace by yanking a cultivator through thin soil for five or six hours he develops a grouch which none can pacify.

But we must put up with his little peculiarities. He has done a great deal for this country. For nearly three years they have been sending

him across the sea to fight the battles of alien powers, but now, that he is fighting for his own country again, he has struck his gait. His happy time has come at last. When there is trouble on hand the American mule is always appreciated. No doubt the 250,000 will respond quickly to the country's call, and there will probably be 500,000 more kicking because they can't go with the expedition.

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Hongkong Dock .....  
Shanghai Dock .....  
New Eng. Works .....

## Wharves

Shanghai Wharf .....  
Hongkong Wharf .....

## Lands and Hotels

Anglo French Land .....  
China Land .....  
Shanghai Land .....  
Weihaiwei Land .....  
Shanghai Hotels Ltd. .....  
China Realty (ord.) .....  
China Realty (pref.) .....

## Cotton Mills

E-wo .....  
E-wo Pref. .....  
International .....  
International Pref. .....  
Lau-kung-mow .....  
Oriental .....  
Shanghai Cotton .....  
Kung Yik .....  
Yangtzeapoo .....  
Yangtzeapoo Pref. .....

## Industrials

Butler Tile .....  
China Sugar .....  
Green Island .....  
Langkawi .....  
Major Bros. .....  
Shanghai Sunatra .....  
Stores

Hall and Holtz .....  
Llewellyn .....  
Lane, Crawford .....  
Moutre .....  
Watson .....  
Weeks .....

## Rubbers (Local)

Alma .....  
Amherst .....  
Anglo-Java .....  
Anglo-Dutch .....  
Ayer Tawau .....  
Batu Anam 1912 .....  
Bukit Ton Alang .....  
Bute .....  
Chemor United .....  
Chempedak .....  
Cheng .....  
Consolidated .....  
Dominion .....  
Gula Kalumpang .....  
Java Consolidate .....  
Kamunting .....  
Kapala .....  
Kapayang .....  
Karan .....  
Kota Bahroes .....  
Kroewek Java .....  
Padang .....  
Pengkalan Durian .....  
Permat .....  
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Senawang .....  
Shanghai Klobang .....  
Shanghai Malay .....  
Shanghai Malay-pref .....  
Shanghai Pahang .....  
Sungai .....  
Sungai Duri .....  
Sua Manggi .....  
Shai Kalant .....  
Shanghai Seremban .....  
Taiping .....  
Tanah Merah .....  
T-hong .....  
Ulobo .....  
Ziange .....  
Miscellaneous

C. I. and E. Lumber .....  
Cult Dairy .....  
Shai Elec. and Asb. .....  
Shanghai Trams .....  
Shanghai Gas .....  
Horse Bazaar .....  
Shanghai Mercury .....  
Shai Telephone .....  
Shai Waterworks .....  
S. Sell rs. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers

## Benjamin &amp; Potts, 8 Jinkee Road

## Telephone No. 398.

## Sungala Votes 10 Per Cent Dividend

At the second annual general meeting of the Sungala Rubber Estates Ltd., held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday afternoon, a dividend of 10 per cent for the year ending March 31, 1917 was authorised.

Mr. Cecil Holliday occupied the chair and was supported by Messrs. A. H. Mancell, Chadwick T. Kew, and Chang Nien-yun, directors, and Mr. R. C. Phillips, secretary and other shareholders. The number of shares represented the meeting was 29,465.

The Chairman's speech was as follows:

"The report and accounts having been in your hands for some days now I will with your permission follow the custom prevalent in this port and take them as read.

"Your directors have again followed their former policy and have included in the report all that they considered it was possible to say about last year's working which leaves me with really nothing fresh to tell you now."

"No attempt has been made to issue the new capital authorised by you at the extraordinary general meeting held on July 5, last year as the state of the market has all along made the success of such an attempt doubtful and thus your directors regret because there is no question that the estate at its present size must always be expensive to run, whilst if it were developed to its utmost capacity we could produce eventually somewhere about three times as much rubber as we are capable of now and all for the same standing charges; and you would find

yourself possessed of as nice a bit of property as any in the Federated Malay States. I may mention that the outputs this year have been:

April, 5,984 lbs; May, 7,157 lbs; June, 8,157 lbs; or a total of 21,298 lbs, an average of 7,100 lbs per month or 55,296 lbs. for the year, against the estimate of 30,000 lbs, so that up to date everything is going well."

No questions being asked, the chairman moved the following resolutions which were carried unanimously:

That the report and statement of accounts as published be accepted and passed—proposed by Mr. Cecil Holliday and seconded by Dr. Chadwick T. Kew.

That the directors be authorised to pay a dividend of 10% on the paid-up capital of the company for the year ended March 31, 1917—proposed by Mr. A. H. Mancell, seconded by Mr. Chang Nien-yun.

That the remuneration of the directors be Tls. 1,250. for the year ended March 31, 1917—proposed by Mr. Brodie A. Clarke and seconded by Mr. Woo Tsu-kwan.

That Dr. Chadwick Kew, the retiring director, be re-elected a director of the company—proposed by Mr. Brodie A. Clarke, and seconded by Mr. Tsol Yei-kwan.

That Messrs. Mortimer Reid and See be appointed auditors of the company for the ensuing year at a remuneration of Tls. 150. Proposed by Mr. Y. K. Zee Shih-van and seconded by Mr. Chin Tsu-fong.

The chairman further announced that dividend warrants would be posted for payment today, after which the meeting terminated.

## Exchange and Bullion

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Tls. 3 .....  
\$0 B. ....  
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\$2.45

Tls. 116 .....  
Tls. 94 B. ....  
Tls. 12 1/2 B. ....

Tls. 71 B. ....  
Tls. 74

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## Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

## Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital ..... £1,300,000 Reserve Fund ..... 1,000,000 Reserve Liability of Share-holders ..... 1,200,000

Head Office: 22 BISHOPSGATE, LONDON, E. C.

Court of Directors:

Sir Montague Cornish Turner, Chairman. Sir Henry S. Cunningham, K.C.I.E. T. Cuthbertson, Esq. Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G. W. H. Nevile Gossen, Esq. The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.

W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.

Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

Bankers:

The Bank of England.

The London City &amp; Midland Bank Limited.

The London County and Westminster Bank, Limited.

The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.

The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

Amritsar Iloilo Puket

Bangkok Ipoh Rangoon

Batavia Karachi Saigon

Bombay Klang Seremban

Calcutta Kobe Singapore

Canton Kuala-Lumpur Shanghai

Cebu Madras Sourabaya

Colombo Malacca Taiping

Delhi Manila (F. M. S.)

Foochow Medan Tavoy (Lower)

Haihung New York Burma)

Hankow Peking Tientsin

Hongkong Ponang Yokohama

Shanghai Branch, 18 The Bund.

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for Collection. Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Account, according to arrangement.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

L. R. BREMNER, Manager.

## BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE

Capital ..... Frs. 45,000,000.00

Reserves ..... Frs. 48,000,000.00

Successors et Agences:

Bank of Hanoi Saigon

Battambang Hongkong Shanghai

Canton Mengtze Singapore

Djibouti Noumea Tientsin

Dzoudjibey Peking Toulou

Haihung Papeete

Hankou Phnom-Penh

Bankers:

In France: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et Commercial; Societe Generale.

In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN, Manager.

## Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique Societe Anonyme Paid-up Capital ... Frs. 20,000,000

Head Office: BRUSSELS. London office: 2 Bishopsgate. Branches at Peking, Tientsin, Alexandria, Cairo (Egypt), and Rotterdam

President: JEAN JADOT Gouverneur Societe Generale de Belgique.

Bankers: London: Martin's Bank, Ltd. Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.

Antwerp: Banque d'Anvers. Paris: Banque de l'Union Parisienne, Societe Anonyme.

Lyons and Marseilles: Comptoir National d'Escompte d'Paris. New York: National City Bank of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts Tails and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS, Manager for China

## Hongkong &amp; Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital ..... \$15,000,000 Reserve Funds: Sterling, £1,500,000 @ 2s. £15,000,000 Silver ..... 18,500,000

Reserve liability of Proprietors ..... \$15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG

Court of Directors:

S. H. Dowdell, Esq., Chairman.

J. A. Plummer Esq., Deputy

Hon. Mr. C. H. Anton. [Chairman.]

A. H. Compton Esq.

G. T. M. Edkins, Esq.

C. S. Gubay Esq.

Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak.

E. V. D. Parr, Esq.

W. L. Pattenden, Esq.

Chief Manager.

Hongkong—N. J. STARR.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy Ipo Peking

Bangkok Johore Penang

Batavia Kobe Rangoon

Bombay Kuala Lumpur Saigon

Calcutta London S. Francisco

Canton Lyons Shanghai

Colombo Malaca Singapore

Foochow Manilla Sourabaya

Hankow Nagasaki Tientsin

Harbin New York Tsingtao

Iloilo Yokohama

London Bankers:

London County and Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.

Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN, Manager.

## Russo-Asiatic Bank

Roubles. Capital (fully-paid) ..... 55,000,000 Reserve Fund ..... 24,000,000

Paid up Capital: Krg. Ts.

Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government ..... 3,500,000

Reserve Fund ..... 1,743,000

Head Office: PETROGRAD.

Paris Office: 9, Rue Boudreau.

London Office: 64, Old Broad St. E. C.

Bankers:

London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie &amp; Co.

Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement de Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.

Lyons: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.

For Eastern Branches and Agencies

Bombay Halian Peking

Calcutta Hankow Shanghai

Chancun Harbin Tientsin

(Kwan) Hongkong Tsingtao

(chende) Newchwang Vladivostock

Chefoo Nicolayowsk Yokohama

Daiyin (Dairen o.A.)

55 Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars and Roubles. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI, G. CARRERE,

Managers for China

and Japan

Paid-Up Capital ..... \$300,000.00

Reserve ..... \$10,000.00

Deposits (Dec. 31, 1916) \$1,400,000.00

Correspondents at principal cities in China, and domestic exchange a specialty.

Credits granted on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Current accounts in both taels and dollars with interest, may be opened on application.

Particulars of interest allowed on fixed deposits, in both taels and dollars, will be furnished on request.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS, Manager for China

## The Bank of China

(Specially authorized by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1916)

Authorised Capital ..... \$60,000,000

Undivided Profits ..... 1,016,000

Paid-up Capital ..... \$10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.

Branches and Agencies:

Peking, Tientsin, Newchang,

Mukden, Changchun, Harbin,

Dairen, Tsinan, Tsingtao, Kaifeng,

Hankow, Ichang, Shanghai, Wuhan,

Yangchow, Chinkiang, Nanking,

Shanghai, Hangchow, Ningpo, Foo-

chow, Canton, Nanchang, Taiyuan,

etc. etc.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,

8 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved securities. Local bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts in Taels at the rate of 2 per cent per annum and on Fixed Deposits at the following rates:

For 3 months at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

For 6 months at the rate of 4 per cent per annum.

For 12 months at the rate of 5 per cent per annum.

SUNG HAN-CHANG, Manager.

Savings Bank Office:

12 The Bund, and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than \$1, or over \$100, will be received at one time.

Not more than \$1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of \$5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance.

Deposits may be withdrawn on demand.

Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

London Bankers:

London County and Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Branches in Peking, Tientsin and Shanghai

BANKERS:

In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.

In London: London, County and Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

G. LION, Manager.

1. French Bund, Shanghai.

YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED

(Established 1859.)

Head Office: YOKOHAMA, JAPAN.

Subscribed Capital Yen 45,000,000

Paid-up Capital .. Sh. Ts. 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance.

On Fixed deposits:

For 3 months at 3% per annum.

For 6 months at 4% per annum.

## GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

## Future Sailings

## FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 19	..	Tacoma & Seattle	Hawai Maru	Jap. O. S. K.	
.. 20	..	San Francisco	Korea maru	Jap. Alexander	
.. 21	..	San Francisco	Colombia	Am. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 21 10.30	..	Victoria B.C. & Seattle	Inaba maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 20	..	San Francisco	Siberia maru	Jap. Alexander	
Aug 6	..	Victoria B.C. & Seattle	Yokohama maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	

## FOR JAPAN PORTS

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 12	4.00	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Kamome maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 14	9.30	Nagasaki, Moji & Kobe	Kawama maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 15	10.30	Kobe and Yokohama	Hakko maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 19	11.00	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Atsuta maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 20	3.00	Nagasaki	Kasuga maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 21	4.30	Nagasaki, Moji & Kobe	Simbirek	Rns. R. V. F.	
.. 21	10.30	Kobe & Yokohama	Yamashiro maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 22	11.30	Kobe and Yokohama	Inaba maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 24	4.00	Nagasaki, Moji & Kobe	Hitachi maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 29	5.00	Kobe & Yokohama	Omi maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
			Iyo maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	

## FOR EUROPE, IN DIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 21	11.00	Liverpool etc.	Suwa maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
Aug 5	..	London etc.	Atsuta maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	

## FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 12	4.30	Ningpo	Kiangtien	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 12	6.00	Jiungkong & Canton	Kiungkien	Bz. B. & S.	
.. 13	1.00	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Bz. B. & S.	
.. 13	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ninghsao	Chi. C. M. S. Co.	
.. 13	5.00	Dalny	Feiching	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 13	5.00	Dalny	Hinchin	Jap. O. S. K.	
.. 13	5.00	W.H.W. via Pukow & T'ien	Keseling maru	Br. B. & S.	
.. 15	7.00	W.H.W. Dalny & N'ch'ang	Anhui	Br. B. & S.	
.. 17	7.00	Swatow, Hongkong & Canton	Tsunming	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 20	11.30	Honkong	Yokohama maru	Am. P. M. S. S. Co.	
.. 28	..	Manila	Venezuela		

## FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 12	11.30	Weihaiwei, Chefoo & T'ien	Shantun	Br. B. & S.	
.. 12	..	Haiowen, Yochow	Huangchow	Br. B. & S.	
.. 13	..	A.M. Tientsin direct	Hsinfung	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 13	4.30	Tsingtao	Sanyo maru	Jap. S. M. R.	
.. 13	9.00	Dalny	Isshin maru	Jap. S. M. R.	
.. 14	5.00	Dalny	Isakki maru	Jap. S. M. E.	
.. 14	10.00	W.H.W. C'foo & T'ien	Tungchow	Br. J. M. & Co.	
.. 15	7.00	W.H.W. Dalny & N'ch'ang	Kooshing	Jap. O. S. K.	
.. 16	..	Weihaiwei, Chefoo & T'ien	Fooching	Br. J. M. & Co.	
.. 17	..	Tientsin, Dalny & Farsato	Shantun	Br. B. & S.	
.. 17	..	Tientsin, Dalny & Farsato	Simbirek	Rns. R. V. F.	
.. 21	..	Tsingtao and Tientsin	Daichi maru	Jap. O. S. K.	

## FOR RIVER PORTS

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 12	M.N.	Kutwo	Kuangtien	Br. I. M. & Co.	
.. 12	M.N.	..	Yaochang maru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 13	M.N.	do	Tsukwo	Br. J. M. & Co.	
.. 13	M.N.	do	Fatung	Br. B. & S.	
.. 13	M.N.	do	Tachangmaru	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 14	M.N.	do	Wuchang	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 14	M.N.	do	Shantung maru	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 15	M.N.	do	Kiangtien	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 15	M.N.	do	Kiangtien	Br. B. & S.	
.. 16	M.N.	do	Tungtien	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 16	M.N.	do	Tsoko maru	Br. B. & S.	
.. 17	M.N.	do	Chungking	Br. B. & S.	
.. 17	M.N.	do	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.	
.. 18	M.N.	do	Poyang	Br. B. & S.	

## \* A.M. M.N.—Midnight D.L.—Daylight

## Arrivals

Date	From	Ship's Name	Tons	Flag	Agents	Barth
July 11	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	288	Br. B. & S.	CNCW	
.. 11	Ningpo	Hsin Ninghsao	215	Chi. N. S. N. Co.	NSCW	
.. 11	Japan	Yawata maru	3895	Jap. N. Y. K.	NYKW	
.. 11	Swatow	Hangchow	141	Br. B. & S.	WTW	
.. 11	Hankow	Kutwo	1924	Br. J. M. & Co.	SHW	
.. 11	Tientsin	Shantun	1082	Br. B. & S.	CNW	
.. 11	Hongkong	Sinkiang	1616	Br. B. & S.	CNW	
.. 11	Hankow	Kiangtien	1468	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	KLYW	
.. 11	Tientsin	Tungchow	1263	Br. B. & S.	CNW	

## Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Tons	Flag	Agent
July 11	Hankow etc.	Kuangtien	1451	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 11	Hankow etc.	Neinkin	1719	Br. B. & S.	
.. 11	Weihaiwei, Chefoo & T'ien	Wenchow	560	Br. B. & S.	
.. 11	Hankow etc.	Tachi maru	1878	Jap. N. Y. K.	
.. 11	Chefoo & Newchwang	Toonan	842	Chi. C. M. S. N. Co.	
.. 11	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	2868	Br. B. & S.	
.. 11	Ningpo	Hsin Ninghsao	2151	Chi. N. S. N. Co.	

## For Southern Ports

AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Sinkiang Captain Benson, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Thursday, July 12 at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield and Swire Agents, Freight Tel. No. 491.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. Hsinchow Capt. E. Hansen, will leave on Friday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C. M. S. Co.

AMOY & SWATOW.—The Str. Feiching Capt. A. B. Baines, will leave on Friday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C. M. S. Co.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s str. Hsin Peking, Capt. A. Scott, I.N.R. will leave from the French Bund on Friday, July 13, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire Agents, Freight Tel. No. 77.

TAKAO (FORMOSA) via FOOCHEW and KEELEUNG.—The Str. Keeling Maru, Capt. T. Kamishashi, will be despatched from the Co.'s Yangtzeopoo wharf on July 13, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire Agents, Freight Tel. No. 491.

YOKOZAWA (FORMOSA) via FOOCHEW and KEELEUNG.—The Str. Keeling Maru, Capt. T. Kamishashi, will be despatched from the Co.'s Yangtzeopoo wharf on July 13, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire Agents, Freight Tel. No. 491.

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## For Foreign Ports

TACOMA & SEATTLE, CALLING AT VICTORIA B.C. via NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOZAWA, SHIMIZU and YOKOHAMA.—The str. Hawaii Maru Captain J. Kanao, will be despatched from on July 19, at 4 p.m. Through Bills of Lading are granted for American Ports and overland points connecting with the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Co. at Seattle and Tacoma. Consular Invoices must accompany overland shipment. The tender will leave the Customs Jetty for convey



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A l'occasion de la fête Nationale Francaise du 14 Juillet, ce jardin sera spécialement décoré et illuminé.

Par ordre,  
Le Secrétaire du Conseil,  
G. LAFERRIERE.

## French Municipal Council

## NOTICE

The Garden, No. 474 Avenue Joffre (ex German Garden Club) is open to the Public.

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## NOTICE

THE Directors are prepared to receive applications in Shanghai on or before 21st September, 1917, for 1,650 new shares, of £20 each, at a premium of £15 per share (making in all £35 per share) of which £15 will be payable on Application and £20 on Allotment.

The new shares will rank for dividend from the 1st October, 1917, i.e., they will be entitled to one-quarter of the total (interim and final) dividend that may be paid in respect of the year 1917.

In allotting the shares, preference will be given to applications received from existing shareholders.

Forms of Application and full particulars as to the conditions of issue may be obtained at the Company's Head Office at Shanghai.

By Order of the Directors,  
ARTHUR P. WOOD,  
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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 17th, to Tuesday, 24th July, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.

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Under the authority of Resolutions V and VI passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on March 21, 1917, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent Loan of 1917.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year. They will be issued at par and will be redeemed on June 30, 1922.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants.

Application forms can be obtained from The Treasurer, Finance Department, 24b Kiangnan Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order.

N. O. LIDDELL, Acting Secretary.

Council Room, Shanghai, March 23, 1917.

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